

EIGHTY-EIGHTH DAY

(Wednesday, June 11, 1941)

The House met at 10:00 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Speaker Leonard.

The roll of the House was called, and the following Members were present:

Mr. Speaker	Gandy
Allen	Garland
Allison	Gilmer
Alsup	Goodman
Avant	Halsey
Bailey	Hanna
Baker	Hardeman
Bell	Hargis
Benton	Harris of Dallas
Blankenship	Harris of Hill
Boone	Hartzog
Brawner	Helpinstill
Bray	Henderson
Bridgers	Hileman
Brown	Hobbs
Bruhl	Howard
Bullock	Howington
Bundy	Hoyo
Burkett	Huddleston
Burnaman	Huffman
Carlton	Hughes
Carrington	Humphrey
Cato	Hutchinson
Chambers	Isaacks
Clark	Jones
Cleveland	Kelly
Coker	Kennedy
Colson, Mrs.	Kersey
Connelly	Kinard
Craig	King
Crossley	Klingeman
Crosthwait	Knight
Daniel	Lansberry
Davis	Lehman
Deen	Leyendecker
Dickson of Bexar	Little
Dickson of Nolan	Lock
Donald	Love
Dove	Lowry
Duckett	Lucas
Dwyer	Lyle
Ellis	McAlister
Eubank	McGlasson
Evans	McLellan
Favors	McMurry
Ferguson	McNamara
Files	Manford
Fitzgerald	Manning
Fuchs	Markle

Martin	Sharpe
Matthews	Simpson
Mills	Skiles
Montgomery	Smith of Bastrop
Moore	Smith of Atascosa
Morgan	Spacek
Morris	Spangler
Morse	Stanford
Murray	Stinson
Pace	Stubbs
Parker	Taylor
Pevehouse	Thornton
Phillips	Turner
Price	Vale
Rampy	Voigt
Reed of Bowie	Walters
Reed of Dallas	Wattner
Ridgeway	Weatherford
Rhodes	White
Roark	Whitesides
Roberts	Winfree
Senterfitt	

Absent

Bean	Sallas
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Absent—Excused

Celaya	McDonald
Heflin	Nicholson
McCann	Shell

A quorum was announced present.

Prayer was offered by Rev. George W. Coltrin, Chaplain, as follows:

"Lord, Thou art the same, yesterday, today, and forever. We are the creatures of Thy hand, weak and subject to change. We thank Thee that Thou art mindful of us, and that it is our privilege to shape the affairs of our state to such an extent. Give us strength in weakness, and help us to bring forth fruits worthy of our high calling. For Christ's sake. Amen."

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following Members were granted leaves of absence on account of important business:

Mr. Shell for today on motion of Mr. Klingeman.

Mr. Favors temporarily for today on motion of Mr. Craig.

Mr. McCann for today on motion of Mr. Senterfitt.

Mr. Celaya for today on motion of Mr. Bundy.

Mr. McDonald for today on motion of Mr. Bridgers.

TO SUSPEND JOINT RULES

Mr. Lansberry offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 226, To suspend Joint Rules to consider H. B. No. 275.

Whereas, There is pending in the House of Representatives House Bill No. 275, a bill of vital importance to the railroad employees of Texas, and

Whereas, It is important that this bill be considered at the earliest possible date,

Now Therefore, Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the joint rules of the two houses be suspended in order that the House may consider House Bill No. 275 on Wednesday or Thursday, June 11th or June 12th, 1941.

The resolution was read second time.

Question recurring on the resolution, it was lost.

Mr. Kersey moved to reconsider the vote by which the resolution was lost.

Question recurring on the motion to reconsider yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion to reconsider was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—50

Allen	Craig
Allison	Daniel
Alsup	Dickson of Bexar
Avant	Evans
Bailey	Files
Baker	Harris of Dallas
Bray	Hoyo
Bridgers	Hughes
Burkett	Isaacks
Burnaman	Kennedy
Carlton	Kersey
Carrington	King
Coker	Lansberry
Connelly	Love

Lowry
Lyle
McAlister
Martin
Matthews
Mills
Moore
Morgan
Morris
Morse
Parker

Price
Reed of Bowie
Ridgeway
Roark
Roberts
Smith of Bastrop
Smith of Atascosa
Stubbs
Thornton
Wattner
Winfree

Nays—56

Benton
Blankenship
Boone
Brawner
Bundy
Chambers
Clark
Crossley
Crosthwait
Davis
Deen
Dickson of Nolan
Donald
Duckett
Dwyer
Ellis
Ferguson
Fuchs
Gandy
Garland
Gilmer
Hanna
Hargis
Helpinstill
Hileman
Hobbs
Howard
Howington

Huddleston
Hutchinson
Jones
Klingeman
Knight
Lehman
Leyendecker
Lucas
McGlasson
Manning
Markle
Montgomery
Murray
Pace
Pevehouse
Phillips
Rampy
Reed of Dallas
Rhodes
Senterfitt
Skiles
Spacek
Taylor
Turner
Voigt
Weatherford
White
Whitesides

Absent

Bean
Bell
Brown
Bruhl
Bullock
Celaya
Cleveland
Colson, Mrs.
Dove
Eubank
Fitzgerald
Goodman
Halsey
Hardeman
Harris of Hill
Hartzog
Henderson
Huffman

Humphrey
Kelly
Kinard
Little
Lock
McLellan
McMurry
McNamara
Manford
Sallas
Sharpe
Simpson
Spangler
Stanford
Stinson
Vale
Walters

Absent—Excused

Cato	McDonald
Favors	Nicholson
Heflin	Shell
McCann	

SUSPENDING JOINT RULES

Mr. Parker offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 227, Suspending Joint Rules in regard to H. B. No. 161.

Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the Joint Rules be suspended so that the House may take up and consider House Bill No. 161, a bill affecting the terms of district courts in the 30th, 90th and 97th Judicial Districts, Wednesday or Thursday, June 11 or 12, 1941.

The resolution was read second time and was adopted.

EXTENDING PRIVILEGES OF THE FLOOR

Mr. Hoyo offered the following resolution:

H. S. R. No. 331, Extending privileges of the floor.

Whereas, The National Organization of the American Legion is cognizant of the crisis existing in the world at this time; and

Whereas, A plan has been evolved by the American Legion to set up an organization known as Boys State for the purpose of sponsoring and developing citizenship throughout out the United States; and

Whereas, The Texas Department of the American Legion has adopted Boys State and sponsors it each year in the Capitol City; and

Whereas, The 1941 Session of Boys State is being held this week on The University of Texas Campus; and

Whereas, The members of Boys State represent the youth of cities and towns of the State of Texas; now, therefore be it

Resolved, That the House of Representatives of Texas express its appreciation to the members of Boys State for the patriotic spirit they ex-

emplify and to the American Legion for its part in sponsoring this meritorious program; and be it further

Resolved, That the House of Representatives of Texas extend to the officers of the Texas Boys State the privileges of the floor for Thursday, June 12, 1941.

The resolution was read second time and was adopted.

RELATIVE TO CERTAIN SPECIAL COMMODITY PERMITS

Mr. Lowry offered the following resolution:

H. S. R. No. 332, Relative to certain special commodity permits issued by the Motor Transportation of the Railroad Commission.

Whereas, H. B. No. 351 became law on June 4, 1941, after being introduced in this session of the Legislature in January and did not reach the Governor until the 27th of May; and,

Whereas, This bill provides for grandfather rights for all holders of special commodity permits in force and effect on January 1, 1941; and,

Whereas, About one hundred special commodity permits have been legally granted to bona fide applicants since January 1, and many of these applicants have invested considerable money in equipment and engaged actively in motor transportation for hire under their special commodity permit which by H. B. 351 ceases to exist; and

Whereas, Such operators do not enjoy grandfather rights under the provisions of the bill but must apply for the new 'Specialized Motor Carrier Certificate of Convenience and Necessity' and in addition show the inadequacy of existing transportation facilities which is very difficult to do in most communities served by motor transportation facilities; and,

Whereas, About ninety towns in Texas located practically all over the State are affected by the discontinuance of the special commodity permits which have been granted these one hundred operators since January 1 and for which the bill provides almost no remedy; and,

Whereas, This situation will not only inconvenience the shipping public but work a financial and personal injury to these one hundred operators who in good faith and under the laws of this state secured a permit to do business, which was invalidated by dating back the grandfather rights to January 1st of this year; therefore,

Be It Resolved, That the House of Representatives of the 47th Legislature request the Motor Transportation Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas to do all in its power to bring about an equitable handling of these special commodity permit holders who do not under the law have grandfather rights and therefore cannot without the proof required procure the new 'Specialized Motor Carrier Certificate of Convenience and Necessity; and,

Be It Further Resolved, That in the hearing of applications for the new 'Specialized Motor Carrier Certificates' made by any of these one hundred special commodity holders who have been granted their permits since January 1st as well as those whose applications were pending when House Bill No. 351 became law, that every leniency be shown that is consistent with justice and within the authority of the Commission to grant.

LOWRY,
STANFORD,
CARRINGTON.

The resolution was read second time.

Mr. Carlton moved to table the resolution.

The motion to table prevailed.

BILLS ORDERED NOT PRINTED

On motion of Mr. Morris, Senate Bill No. 490 was ordered not printed.

On motion of Mr. Alsup, Senate Bill No. 459 was ordered not printed.

On motion of Mr. Chambers, House Bill No. 1081 was ordered not printed.

SENATE BILL NO. 490 ON SECOND READING

Mr. Morris moved that the necessary rules be suspended, for the purpose of taking up and considering, at this time, Senate Bill No. 490.

The motion prevailed.

The Speaker then laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to third reading,

S. B. No. 490, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 4 of Article XVIII of House Bill No. 8, Acts of the 47th Legislature, Regular Session, to provide for the allocation of funds collected under Article XVIII, of House Bill No. 8, Acts of the 47th Legislature, etc.; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Morris offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill No. 490 by adding on page 3, line 10, of the printed Senate bill after the word "month" the following:

"With the effective date of this Act, including the month of June, 1941 and through the month of August, 1941" and striking out the words "after the effective date of this Act."

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House, the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

Senate Bill No. 490 was then passed to third reading.

SENATE BILL NO. 490 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Morris moved that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 490 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—130		Thornton	Wattner
Allen	Howard	Turner	Weatherford
Allison	Howington	Vale	White
Alsup	Hoyo	Voigt	Whitesides
Avant	Huddleston	Walters	Winfree
Bailey	Huffman	Absent	
Baker	Hughes	Brawner	Reed of Dallas
Bean	Humphrey	Brown	Ridgeway
Bell	Hutchinson	Gilmer	Sallas
Benton	Isaacks	Hartzog	Smith of Bastrop
Blankenship	Jones	Kersey	Stanford
Boone	Kelly	Kinard	Stubbs
Bray	Kennedy	Absent—Excused	
Bridgers	King	Celaya	McDonald
Bruhl	Klingeman	Heflin	Nicholson
Bullock	Knight	McCann	Shell
Bundy	Lansberry	The Speaker then laid Senate Bill	
Burkett	Lehman	No. 490 before the House on third	
Burnaman	Leyendecker	reading and final passage.	
Carlton	Little	The bill was read third time.	
Carrington	Lock	Mr. Manford moved to postpone	
Cato	Love	further consideration of Senate Bill	
Chambers	Lowry	No. 490 until 10:30 o'clock a. m., to-	
Clark	Lucas	morrow.	
Cleveland	Lyle	On motion of Mr. Hardeman, the	
Coker	McAlister	motion to postpone was tabled.	
Colson, Mrs.	McGlasson	Senate Bill No. 490 was then	
Connelly	McLellan	passed by the following vote:	
Craig	McMurry	Yeas—130	
Crossley	McNamara	Allen	Coker
Crosthwait	Manford	Allison	Colson, Mrs.
Daniel	Manning	Alsup	Connelly
Davis	Markle	Avant	Craig
Deen	Martin	Bailey	Crossley
Dickson of Bexar	Matthews	Baker	Crosthwait
Dickson of Nolan	Mills	Bean	Daniel
Donald	Montgomery	Bell	Davis
Dove	Moore	Benton	Deen
Duckett	Morgan	Blankenship	Dickson of Bexar
Dwyer	Morris	Boone	Dickson of Nolan
Ellis	Morse	Bray	Donald
Eubank	Murray	Bridgers	Dove
Evans	Pace	Bruhl	Duckett
Favors	Parker	Bullock	Dwyer
Ferguson	Pevehouse	Bundy	Ellis
Files	Phillips	Burkett	Eubank
Fitzgerald	Price	Burnaman	Evans
Fuchs	Rampy	Carlton	Favors
Gandy	Reed of Bowie	Carrington	Ferguson
Garland	Rhodes	Cato	Files
Goodman	Roark	Chambers	Fitzgerald
Halsey	Roberts	Clark	Fuchs
Hanna	Senterfitt	Cleveland	Gandy
Hardeman	Sharpe		
Hargis	Simpson		
Harris of Dallas	Skiles		
Harris of Hill	Smith of Atascosa		
Helpinstill	Spacek		
Henderson	Spangler		
Hileman	Stinson		
Hobbs	Taylor		

Garland	Manford
Goodman	Manning
Halsey	Markle
Hanna	Martin
Hardeman	Matthews
Hargis	Mills
Harris of Dallas	Montgomery
Harris of Hill	Moore
Helpinstill	Morgan
Henderson	Morris
Hileman	Morse
Hobbs	Murray
Howard	Pace
Howington	Parker
Hoyo	Pevehouse
Huddleston	Phillips
Huffman	Price
Hughes	Rampy
Humphrey	Reed of Bowie
Hutchinson	Rhodes
Isaacks	Roark
Jones	Roberts
Kelly	Senterfitt
Kennedy	Sharpe
King	Simpson
Klingeman	Skiles
Knight	Smith of Atascosa
Lansberry	Spacek
Lehman	Spangler
Leyendecker	Stinson
Little	Taylor
Lock	Thornton
Love	Turner
Lowry	Vale
Lucas	Voigt
Lyle	Walters
McAlister	Wattner
McGlasson	Weatherford
McLellan	White
McMurry	Whitesides
McNamara	Winfree

Absent

Brawner	Reed of Dallas
Brown	Ridgeway
Gilmer	Sallas
Hartzog	Smith of Bastrop
Kersey	Stanford
Kinard	Stubbs

Absent—Excused

Celaya	McDonald
Heflin	Nicholson
McCann	Shell

**CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE
COMMITTEE REPORT
ON HOUSE BILL NO.**

963

Mr. Alsup submitted the following Conference Committee report on House Bill No. 963:

Honorable Coke Stevenson, President of the Senate;

Honorable Homer Leonard, Speaker of the House.

Sirs: We, your Conference Committee appointed to adjust the differences between the House and the Senate on House Bill No. 963, have met and beg leave to recommend that said House Bill No. 963 be passed in the form attached hereto.

Respectfully,

HILL,
LEMENS,
SMITH,
MAURITZ,

On the part of the Senate.

ALSUP,
ALLISON,
STUBBS,
HUMPHREY,
MANNING,

On the part of the House.

H. B. No. 963 By Mr. Manning

A BILL

To Be Entitled

An Act appropriating out of the State General Revenue Fund the sum of \$500.00 to the Eddins Common School District No. 62, and \$500.00 to the Ballard Common School District No. 28, Shelby County, Texas, to be used by said School Districts in rebuilding a public schoolhouse within the Districts; and declaring an emergency.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That there is hereby appropriated out of the State General Revenue Fund \$500.00 to the Eddins Common School District No. 62, and \$500.00 to the Ballard Common School District No. 28, Shelby County, Texas, to be used by said School Districts for the purpose of rebuilding a public school building within said School Districts.

Sec. 2. In making this appropriation, the Legislature deems there is an emergency now existing in said School Districts because the school houses situated in said School Districts have recently been destroyed by fire and said School Districts have not, and shall not have in the

future, sufficient funds available to rebuild and equip another proper school house within said School Districts.

Sec. 3. The importance of this legislation and the crowded condition of the Calendar creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring that all bills be read on three several days in each House be suspended, and said Rule is hereby suspended, and this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

Mr. Manning moved that the Conference Committee report on House Bill No. 963 be adopted.

Question recurring on the motion by Mr. Manning, yeas and nays were demanded.

The roll of the House was called and the vote announced as follows: Yeas, 62; nays, 60.

A verification of the vote was requested.

The roll of the "yeas" and "nays" was again called and the verified vote resulted as follows:

Yeas—58

Allison	Hutchinson
Alsup	Kinard
Avant	Klingeman
Baker	Knight
Bean	Leyendecker
Boone	Little
Bullock	Lock
Cato	Lowry
Chambers	McGlasson
Coker	McNamara
Connelly	Manford
Duckett	Manning
Dwyer	Matthews
Evans	Montgomery
Ferguson	Morse
Goodman	Pace
Halsey	Price
Hargis	Rampy
Harris of Hill	Rhodes
Hartzog	Roark
Helpinstill	Simpson
Henderson	Skiles
Hileman	Spacek
Hobbs	Stubbs
Huddleston	Taylor
Huffman	Thornton
Humphrey	Turner

Vale
White

Whitesides
Winfree

Nays—61

Allen	Jones
Bailey	Kelly
Bell	Kennedy
Benton	Kersey
Bray	King
Bruhl	Lansberry
Bundy	Lehman
Burkett	Love
Carlton	McAlister
Carrington	Markle
Clark	Martin
Cleveland	Mills
Craig	Moore
Crossley	Morris
Crosthwait	Murray
Davis	Parker
Deen	Pevehouse
Dickson of Bexar	Phillips
Dickson of Nolan	Reed of Bowie
Ellis	Reed of Dallas
Files	Ridgeway
Fitzgerald	Roberts
Gandy	Senterfitt
Garland	Smith of Bastrop
Gilmer	Smith of Atascosa
Hanna	Stinson
Hardeman	Voigt
Harris of Dallas	Walters
Howington	Wattner
Hoyo	Weatherford
Hughes	

Present—Not Voting

Bridgers	Spangler
McLellan	

Absent

Blankenship	Howard
Brawner	Isaacks
Brown	Lucas
Burnaman	Lyle
Colson, Mrs.	McMurry
Daniel	Morgan
Donald	Sallas
Dove	Sharpe
Eubank	Stanford
Fuchs	

Absent—Excused

Celaya	McDonald
Favors	Nicholson
Heflin	Shell
McCann	

The Speaker announced that the motion by Mr. Manning, that the Conference Committee report on House Bill No. 963 be adopted, was lost.

Mr. Davis moved to reconsider the vote by which the conference report was lost.

Mr. Craig moved to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion to table prevailed.

MOTION TO INTRODUCE CERTAIN BILL

Mr. Fitzgerald moved to introduce the following bill:

H. B. No. —, A bill to be entitled "An Act declaring the floods of Shackelford County to be a public calamity; authorizing an adoption and grant to Shackelford County of one-half of the State ad valorem taxes collected in Shackelford County for any purpose permitted by and not inconsistent with the Constitution, including the construction of flood control works in said county, and the conservation and utilization of water; specifying the reports thereon to be made by the Assessor and Collector of taxes; providing that if any provision of this Act shall be held invalid the other provisions shall not be affected; and declaring an emergency."

The motion was lost by the following vote (not receiving the necessary four-fifths vote):

Yeas—94

Allen	Deen
Allison	Dickson of Bexar
Avant	Dickson of Nolan
Baker	Donald
Bean	Duckett
Bell	Dwyer
Blankenship	Ellis
Bridgers	Eubank
Brown	Evans
Bullock	Fitzgerald
Bundy	Gandy
Burkett	Halsey
Burnaman	Hardeman
Carrington	Hargis
Clark	Harris of Dallas
Cleveland	Harris of Hill
Colson, Mrs.	Hartzog
Connelly	Helpinstill
Crossley	Henderson
Crosthwait	Hileman
Daniel	Hobbs
Davis	Hoyo

Huddleston	Martin
Huffman	Matthews
Hughes	Mills
Humphrey	Moore
Hutchinson	Murray
Isaacks	Pace
Jones	Parker
Kelly	Pevehouse
Kennedy	Phillips
Kinard	Price
King	Rampy
Knight	Reed of Bowie
Lansberry	Reed of Dallas
Lehman	Roark
Leyendecker	Senterfitt
Lock	Skiles
Lowry	Smith of Bastrop
Lucas	Spacek
Lyle	Taylor
McGlasson	Vale
McLellan	Walters
McMurry	Wattner
McNamara	Weatherford
Manford	Whitesides
Markle	Winfree

Nays—34

Alsop	Little
Bailey	Love
Benton	McAlister
Boone	Manning
Bray	Morgan
Bruhl	Morris
Carlton	Morse
Cato	Ridgeway
Coker	Rhodes
Craig	Roberts
Ferguson	Simpson
Files	Smith of Atascosa
Fuchs	Spangler
Garland	Stinson
Hanna	Stubbs
Howington	Thornton
Klingeman	Voigt

Absent

Brawner	Montgomery
Chambers	Sallas
Dove	Sharpe
Gilmer	Stanford
Goodman	Turner
Howard	White
Kersey	

Absent—Excused

Celaya	McDonald
Favors	Nicholson
Heflin	Shell
McCann	

ENDORISING HONORABLE JOSEPH C. HUTCHESON, JR., FOR THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES

Mr. Montgomery offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 229, Endorsing Honorable Joseph C. Hutcheson, Jr., for the Supreme Court.

Whereas, Two vacancies exist on the Supreme Court of the United States and our distinguished President, Honorable Franklin D. Roosevelt, will soon select successors to fill these vacancies; and

Whereas, These positions should be filled by men of loyalty to the Democratic party and men who are qualified by education and experience to fill said vacancies; and

Whereas, The State of Texas has in the person of the Honorable Joseph C. Hutcheson, Jr., of Houston, Texas, a judge of like qualifications to those distinguished judges who have vacated these positions; and

Whereas, The said Joseph C. Hutcheson, Jr., is a son of a distinguished Captain in the Confederate Army and a former member of Congress; and

Whereas, He has served as Mayor of Houston, Texas, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the southern district of Texas and is now serving as the Judge of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, Fifth Circuit, is a distinguished lawyer, a loyal Democrat and a loyal citizen of the United States; and

Whereas, It is believed that he would fill one of said positions with honor and credit to this country and would distinguish himself as a Judge of the highest tribunal in the world; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the House of Representatives of the Legislature of Texas, the Senate concurring, do endorse and earnestly urge the appointment of the Honorable Joseph C. Hutcheson, Jr., who has so ably served his nation, State and Democratic party, to one of the vacancies now existing on the Supreme Court of the United States; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this Resolution be forwarded to President Franklin D. Roosevelt, Honorable

Tom Connally, and Honorable Andrew Jackson Houston, United States Senators from Texas, expressing to them our keen desire that the Honorable Joseph C. Hutcheson, Jr., be favored with this appointment.

**MONTGOMERY,
WINFREE,
MORSE,
HEFLIN,
HOWARD,
HOYO,
LYLE.**

The resolution was read second time.

Signed—Leonard, Speaker; Allen, Allison, Alsup, Avant, Bailey, Baker, Bean, Bell, Benton, Blankenship, Boone, Brawner, Bray, Bridgers, Brown, Bruhl, Bullock, Bundy, Burkett, Burnaman, Carlton, Carrington, Cato, Celaya, Chambers, Clark, Cleveland, Coker, Mrs. Colson, Connelly, Craig, Crossley, Crosthwait, Daniel Davis, Deen, Dickson of Bexar, Dickson of Nolan, Donald, Dove, Duckett, Dwyer, Ellis, Eubank, Evans, Favors, Ferguson, Miss Files, Fitzgerald, Fuchs, Gandy, Garland, Gilmer, Goodman, Halsey, Hanna, Hardeman, Hargis, Harris of Dallas, Harris of Hill, Hartzog, Helpinstill, Henderson, Hileman, Hobbs, Howington, Huddleston, Huffman, Hughes, Humphrey, Hutchinson, Isaacks, Jones, Kelly, Kennedy, Kersey, Kinard, King, Klingeman, Knight, Lansberry, Lehman, Leyendecker, Little, Lock, Love, Lowry, Lucas, McAlister, McCann, McDonald, McGlasson, McLellan, McMurry, McNamara, Manford, Manning, Markle, Martin, Matthews, Mills, Moore, Morgan, Morris, Murray, Nicholson, Pace, Parker, Pevehouse, Phillips, Price Rampy, Reed of Bowie, Reed of Dallas, Ridgeway, Rhodes, Roark, Roberts, Sallas, Senterfitt, Sharpe, Shell, Simpson, Skiles, Smith of Bastrop, Smith of Atascosa, Spacek, Spangler, Stanford, Stinson, Stubbs, Taylor, Thornton, Turner, Vale, Voigt, Walters, Wattner, Weatherford, White and Whitesides.

On the motion of Mr. Lyle the names of all the Members of the House were added to the resolution as signers thereof.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Austin, Texas, June 11, 1941.

Hon. Homer Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed the following:

S. B. No. 395, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating in the State of Texas, a school of technical aeronautics and engineering to be known as Texas State School of Aeronautics and Engineering; making an appropriation therefor; making a provision for a locating board with certain powers, etc.; and declaring an emergency."

The Senate has tabled House Concurrent Resolution No. 210, Providing for recess of Legislature from June 16, 1941 until July 14, 1941 by the following vote: yeas 17, nays 12.

Adopted

S. C. R. No. 77, Sine die adjournment on Tuesday, June 17, 1941 at 12:00 o'clock noon.

Respectfully,

BOB BARKER,

Secretary of the Senate.

PROVIDING FOR CERTAIN
RECESS AND SINE
DIE

Mr. Taylor offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 223, Providing for Certain Recess and Sine Die Adjournment.

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That on June 14, 1941, at one o'clock p. m., the Legislature do recess during the period from that date and hour until July 14, 1941, at noon, when it shall again convene at the State Capitol;

Be it further resolved, That during said period of recess the Members of the Legislature shall draw no per diem for their services and that all employees of both branches of the Legislature be discharged from service, and that the elective officers of the House and Senate be allowed no compensation during such recess except such officers and employees as the President of the

Senate and the Speaker of the House find necessary to retain.

Be it further resolved, That the Regular Session of the 47th Legislature stand adjourned sine die on July 21, 1941, at 12 noon.

The resolution was read second time.

Mr. Harris of Hill offered the following amendment to the resolution:

Amend House Concurrent Resolution No. 223 by changing "June 14th" to "June 16th."

Mr. Cato moved the previous question on the pending amendment and the resolution, and the main question was ordered.

Question recurring on the amendment by Mr. Harris of Hill, it was adopted.

Mr. Love called for a division of the questions in the resolution.

Mr. Kennedy moved to dispense with the division of the questions.

The motion prevailed.

Question recurring on the resolution, as amended, yeas and nays were demanded.

The resolution, as amended, was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—70

Allen	Eubank
Allison	Ferguson
Alsop	Files
Bean	Garland
Bell	Hardeman
Benton	Hargis
Bray	Harris of Hill
Bridgers	Hartzog
Brown	Howard
Bruhl	Huffman
Bundy	Isaacks
Burnaman	Kelly
Carlton	Kersey
Carrington	Kinard
Cato	Lansberry
Clark	Lehman
Cleveland	Leyendecker
Coker	Little
Colson, Mrs.	Lock
Crossley	Love
Donald	Lyle
Dove	McAlister
Dwyer	McGlasson
Ellis	McLellan

Martin	Stubbs
Mills	Taylor
Montgomery	Thornton
Morgan	Turner
Morris	Vale
Morse	Voigt
Phillips	Wattner
Senterfitt	Weatherford
Skiles	White
Spacek	Whitesides
Stanford	Winfree

Nays—66

Avant	Hughes
Bailey	Humphrey
Baker	Hutchinson
Blankenship	Jones
Boone	Kennedy
Bullock	King
Burkett	Klingeman
Chambers	Knight
Connelly	Lowry
Craig	Lucas
Crosthwait	McMurry
Daniel	McNamara
Davis	Manford
Deen	Manning
Dickson of Bexar	Markle
Dickson of Nolan	Matthews
Duckett	Murray
Evans	Pace
Fitzgerald	Parker
Fuchs	Pevehouse
Gandy	Price
Gilmer	Rampy
Goodman	Reed of Bowie
Halsey	Reed of Dallas
Hanna	Ridgeway
Harris of Dallas	Roark
Helpinstill	Roberts
Henderson	Simpson
Hileman	Smith of Bastrop
Hobbs	Smith of Atascosa
Howington	Spangler
Hoyo	Stinson
Huddleston	Walters

Absent

Brawner	Sallas
Moore	Sharpe
Rhodes	

Absent—Excused

Celaya	McDonald
Favors	Nicholson
Heflin	Shell
McCann	

Mr. Taylor moved to reconsider the vote by which the resolution was adopted, and to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion to table prevailed.

TO PROVIDE FOR ADJOURNMENT SINE DIE

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time, the following resolution:

S. C. R. No. 77, To provide for Adjournment Sine Die.

Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Texas, the House of Representatives concurring, That the Regular Session of the Forty-seventh Legislature of the State of Texas do stand adjourned sine die on Tuesday, June 17, 1941, at 12:00 o'clock noon.

The resolution was read second time.

(Mr. Kinard in the Chair.)

Mr. Taylor moved to table the resolution.

Question recurring on the motion to table, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion to table was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—61

Allison	Hughes
Alsup	Isaacks
Bell	Jones
Benton	Kelly
Brawner	Lansberry
Bray	Lehman
Bridgers	Leyendecker
Brown	Little
Bruhl	Lock
Bundy	Love
Burnaman	McAlister
Carlton	McGlasson
Carrington	McLellan
Cato	McNamara
Cleveland	Martin
Coker	Mills
Colson, Mrs.	Montgomery
Dove	Morris
Ellis	Morse
Eubank	Phillips
Ferguson	Roark
Files	Sharpe
Halsey	Skiles
Hardeman	Spacek
Hargis	Spangler
Harris of Hill	Stanford
Henderson	Stubbs
Howard	Taylor

Thornton
Vale
Wattner

Weatherford
White
Winfree

Nays—72

Allen	Hoyo
Avant	Huddleston
Bailey	Huffman
Baker	Humphrey
Bean	Hutchinson
Blankenship	Kennedy
Boone	Kersey
Bullock	King
Burkett	Klingeman
Chambers	Knight
Clark	Lowry
Connelly	Lucas
Craig	Lyle
Crossley	McMurry
Crosthwait	Manford
Daniel	Manning
Davis	Markle
Deen	Matthews
Dickson of Bexar	Morgan
Dickson of Nolan	Murray
Donald	Pace
Duckett	Parker
Dwyer	Pevehouse
Evans	Price
Fitzgerald	Rampy
Fuchs	Reed of Bowie
Gandy	Ridgeway
Gilmer	Roberts
Goodman	Senterfitt
Hanna	Simpson
Harris of Dallas	Smith of Bastrop
Hartzog	Smith of Atascosa
Helpinstill	Stinson
Hileman	Turner
Hobbs	Voigt
Howington	Walters

Absent

Garland	Rhodes
Moore	Sallas
Reed of Dallas	Whitesides

Absent—Excused

Celaya	McDonald
Favors	Nicholson
Heflin	Shell
McCann	

(Speaker in the Chair.)

Mr. Kennedy moved the previous question on the resolution, and the motion was duly seconded.

Question recurring on the motion

for the main question, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—59

Allen	Hutchinson
Avant	Kennedy
Bailey	Kersey
Baker	King
Blankenship	Klingeman
Boone	Knight
Burkett	Lowry
Chambers	Lucas
Connelly	McMurry
Craig	Manford
Crossley	Manning
Crosthwait	Matthews
Daniel	Murray
Davis	Pace
Deen	Parker
Dickson of Nolan	Pevehouse
Dwyer	Price
Ellis	Rampy
Evans	Reed of Bowie
Fitzgerald	Ridgeway
Fuchs	Roberts
Goodman	Simpson
Halsey	Smith of Bastrop
Hanna	Smith of Atascosa
Helpinstill	Stinson
Hobbs	Voigt
Howington	White
Hoyo	Whitesides
Huddleston	Winfree
Humphrey	

Nays—75

Allison	Ferguson
Alsup	Files
Bean	Gandy
Bell	Gilmer
Benton	Hardeman
Brawner	Hargis
Bray	Harris of Dallas
Bridgers	Harris of Hill
Brown	Hartzog
Bruhl	Henderson
Bullock	Hileman
Burnaman	Howard
Carlton	Huffman
Carrington	Hughes
Cato	Isaacks
Clark	Jones
Cleveland	Kelly
Coker	Lansberry
Colson, Mrs.	Lehman
Dickson of Bexar	Leyendecker
Donald	Little
Duckett	Lock
Eubank	Love

Lyle	Senterfitt
McAlister	Sharpe
McGlasson	Skiles
McLellan	Spacek
McNamara	Spangler
Markle	Stanford
Martin	Stubbs
Mills	Taylor
Montgomery	Thornton
Morgan	Turner
Morris	Vale
Morse	Walters
Phillips	Wattner
Reed of Dallas	Weatherford
Roark	

Absent

Bundy	Moore
Dove	Rhodes
Garland	Sallas
Kinard	

Absent—Excused

Celaya	McDonald
Favors	Nicholson
Heflin	Shell
McCann	

Mr. Blankenship moved to suspend the Rules in order that a motion may be made to limit the debate on the resolution to three minutes on each side.

The motion to suspend the Rules was lost.

Question: Shall the resolution be adopted?

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Austin, Texas, June 11, 1941.

Hon. Homer Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has refused to pass notwithstanding the Governor's veto, House Bill No. 286, by the following vote: Yeas, 14; nays, 16.

Has passed notwithstanding the Governor's veto, the following bill:

S. B. No. 187, "An Act to facilitate the Cooperation of this State with other units of Government, etc.; and declaring an emergency," by the following vote: Yeas, 26; nays, 4.

Respectfully,

BOB BARKER,

Secretary of the Senate.

BILLS AND RESOLUTION SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER

The Speaker signed in the presence of the House, after giving due notice thereof, and their captions had been read severally the following enrolled bills and resolution:

H. C. R. No. 166, To grant Mrs. Woodie Spore permission to sue the State.

H. B. No. 233, "An Act appropriating the sum of Nine Hundred Seventy-seven Thousand, Three Hundred and Thirty-two Dollars (\$977,332) per year, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the next biennium beginning September 1, 1941, and ending August 31, 1943, from the General Revenue Fund for the purpose of promoting public school interests and assisting local districts in the teaching of vocational agriculture, home economics, trades and industries, general rehabilitation, and rehabilitation for crippled children according to the Federal laws governing vocational education, all of which shall be matched by Federal funds; providing for the administration, attaching conditions, regulations, and limitations relative thereto, making various allocations of said appropriation; authorizing aid to such schools in accordance with the conditions specified herein; providing for certain regulations concerning qualification of teachers; providing all costs of administering funds named in this Act shall be paid out of monies appropriated in this Act under the authority of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction under the direction of the State Board of Education; defining the powers of the State Board of Education and the State Superintendent; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 1058, "An Act amending House Bill No. 843 of the Regular Session of the Forty-seventh Legislature by adding a new section to be numbered Section 1a, and to provide exemption as to certain waters of Lake Corpus Christi; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 291, "An Act relating to the salaries of all State officers except those Constitutional State officers whose salaries are specifically

fixed by the Constitution; specifically providing that the Legislature shall fix the amount of compensation to be paid clerks of the Courts of Civil Appeals, the Supreme Court and the Court of Criminal Appeals out of fees of office, and specifically repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith; and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 85, "An Act to amend Article 4752, of Chapter 3, Title 78, of the Revised Statutes of 1925, relating to limited capital stock life, accident and health insurance companies, removing the restriction that such companies shall have power only to transact business within this State; and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 458, "An Act making an appropriation, in addition to the several sums of money appropriated for such purposes by House Bill No. 271 of the 47th Legislature for law books, for the Courts of Civil Appeals, etc.; and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 5, "An Act granting and donating to each respective county of this State for a period of five (5) years, beginning with the taxable year 1942, all of the State ad valorem taxes for general revenue purposes not heretofore donated or appropriated, collected for general revenue purposes upon the property and from persons in each respective county, including ad valorem taxes on rolling stock belonging to railroad companies; providing that taxes shall be levied, assessed and collected as now provided by law; authorizing the Assessor or Collector of Taxes in each county to pay over to the County Treasurer all moneys collected by him at the end of each month during the period of this donation, less amounts allowed by law for assessing and collecting the same, etc.; and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 102, "An Act fixing a time within which any person having a claim against the State of Texas based on any disbursing order issue, prior to October, 1936, for general or transient relief purposes, etc.; and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 103, "An Act to authorize housing authorities to undertake the development or administration of projects to assure the availability of

safe and sanitary dwellings for persons engaged in national defense activities, who would not otherwise be able to secure such dwellings within the vicinity thereof, etc.; and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 238, "An Act providing for the leasing of all islands, salt water lakes, bays, inlets, marshes, and reefs owned by the State within tidewater limits, and that portion of the Gulf of Mexico within the jurisdiction of Texas, etc.; and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 284, "An Act relating to taxes in Common and Independent School Districts, etc.; and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 297, "An Act to amend Article 883 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas 1925, relating to the limitation or restriction of the liability of railroads and other common carriers as it exists at common law, etc.; and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 351, "An Act amending Subdivision 1 of Chapter 2 of Title 86 of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925; providing for a board of examiners of land surveyors; providing that nothing in this Act shall affect the terms of the present members of such board and that the appointments herein provided shall be made at the expiration of such terms, etc.; and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 492, "An Act providing for an fixing compensation for County Auditors in certain counties, etc.; and declaring an emergency."

NOTICE GIVEN

Mr. Simpson gave notice that he would, on the next legislative day, move to take up for consideration at that time, Senate Bill No. 431, which bill was heretofore laid on the table subject to call.

RECESS

Mr. Cato moved that the House adjourn until 10:00 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

Mr. Leyendecker moved that the House recess until 3:00 o'clock p. m. today.

Question first recurring on the motion to adjourn, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—45

Allison	Kinard
Alsup	Lansberry
Avant	Lehman
Brawner	Little
Bray	Lock
Brown	Love
Burnaman	McAlister
Carlton	McGlasson
Carrington	McNamara
Cato	Mills
Clark	Montgomery
Coker	Morris
Dickson of Bexar	Morse
Ferguson	Phillips
Files	Roberts
Fitzgerald	Sharpe
Gilmer	Smith of Bastrop
Harris of Dallas	Spangler
Harris of Hill	Stanford
Henderson	Vale
Hughes	Weatherford
Jones	Winfree
Kelly	

Nays—91

Allen	Goodman
Bailey	Halsey
Baker	Hanna
Bean	Hardeman
Bell	Hargis
Benton	Hartzog
Blankenship	Helpinstill
Boone	Hileman
Bridgers	Hobbs
Bruhl	Howard
Bullock	Howington
Bundy	Hoyo
Burkett	Huddleston
Chambers	Huffman
Cleveland	Humphrey
Colson, Mrs.	Hutchinson
Connelly	Isaacks
Craig	Kennedy
Crossley	Kersey
Crothwait	King
Daniel	Klingeman
Davis	Knight
Deen	Leyendecker
Dickson of Nolan	Lowry
Dove	Lucas
Duckett	Lyle
Dwyer	McLellan
Ellis	McMurry
Eubank	Manford
Evans	Manning
Fuchs	Markle
Gandy	Martin

Matthews	Skiles
Morgan	Smith of Atascosa
Murray	Spacek
Pace	Stinson
Parker	Stubbs
Pevehouse	Taylor
Price	Thornton
Rampy	Turner
Reed of Bowie	Voigt
Reed of Dallas	Walters
Ridgeway	Wattner
Roark	White
Senterfitt	Whitesides
Simpson	

Absent

Donald	Nicholson
Favors	Rhodes
Garland	Sallas
McCann	Shell
Moore	

Absent—Excused

Celaya	McDonald
Heflin	

Question next recurring on the motion to recess until 3:00 o'clock p. m., today, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—87

Allen	Eubank
Allison	Evans
Alsup	Ferguson
Benton	Files
Boone	Gandy
Bridgers	Garland
Brown	Gilmer
Bruhl	Halsey
Bullock	Hardeman
Bundy	Hargis
Burkett	Harris of Hill
Burnaman	Hartzog
Carlton	Hileman
Carrington	Hobbs
Cato	Howard
Cleveland	Huffman
Coker	Hughes
Colson, Mrs.	Isaacks
Crossley	Jones
Daniel	Kelly
Deen	Kinard
Dickson of Bexar	King
Donald	Lansberry
Dove	Leyendecker
Duckett	Little
Dwyer	Lock
Ellis	Love

Lucas	Sharpe
Lyle	Simpson
McAlister	Skiles
McLellan	Smith of Bastrop
Manning	Spacek
Martin	Stanford
Montgomery	Stubbs
Morgan	Taylor
Morris	Thornton
Morse	Voigt
Murray	Walters
Parker	Wattner
Phillips	Weatherford
Price	White
Rampy	Whitesides
Reed of Dallas	Winfree

Nays—49

Avant	Kersey
Bailey	Klingeman
Baker	Knight
Bean	Lehman
Bell	Lowry
Blankenship	McGlasson
Bray	McMurry
Chambers	McNamara
Connelly	Manford
Craig	Markle
Crosthwait	Matthews
Davis	Mills
Dickson of Nolan	Pace
Fuchs	Pevehouse
Goodman	Reed of Bowie
Hanna	Ridgeway
Harris of Dallas	Roark
Helpinstill	Roberts
Henderson	Senterfitt
Howington	Smith of Atascosa
Hoyo	Spangler
Huddleston	Stinson
Humphrey	Turner
Hutchinson	Vale
Kennedy	

Absent

Brawner	Moore
Clark	Rhodes
Fitzgerald	Sallas

Absent—Excused

Celaya	McDonald
Favors	Nicholson
Heflin	Shell
McCann	

The House accordingly at 12:35 o'clock p. m., took recess until 3:00 o'clock p. m., today.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The House met at 3:00 o'clock p. m. and was called to order by the Speaker.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

Mr. Daniel, for this afternoon on account of important business, on motion of Mr. Ridgeway.

Mr. Stanford, temporarily for this afternoon on account of important business, on motion of Mr. Carrington.

Mr. Harris of Hill, temporarily for this afternoon on account of important business, on motion of Mr. Ferguson.

SENATE BILL ON FIRST
READING

The following Senate bill, received from the Senate today, was laid before the House, read first time, and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

S. B. No. 395, to the Committee on Appropriations.

HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST
READING

Mr. Fitzgerald asked unanimous consent to introduce at this time and have placed on first reading House Bill No. 1083.

There was no objection.

The Speaker then laid the bill before the House, it was read first time and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

By Mr. Fitzgerald and Mr. Clark:

H. B. No. 1083, A bill to be entitled "An Act declaring the floods of Shackelford County to be a public calamity; authorizing an adoption and grant to Shackelford County of one half of the State ad valorem taxes collected in Shackelford County for any purpose permitted by and not inconsistent with the Constitution, including the construction of flood control works in said county and the conservation and utilization of water; specifying the reports thereon to be made by the Assessor and Collector of Taxes; providing that if any provision of this Act shall

be held invalid the other provisions shall not be affected; and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

Mr. Hardeman moved to introduce at this time and have placed on first reading House Bill No. 1082.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—107

Allen	Isaacks
Allison	Jones
Alsup	Kelly
Avant	Kennedy
Baker	Kersey
Bean	Kinard
Bell	Knight
Benton	Lansberry
Bray	Lehman
Bridgers	Leyendecker
Brown	Lock
Bruhl	Love
Bullock	Lucas
Burkett	Lyle
Carlton	McDonald
Carrington	McGlasson
Cato	McLellan
Clark	McMurry
Coker	McNamara
Colson, Mrs.	Manford
Connelly	Manning
Crossley	Markle
Crosthwait	Martin
Davis	Matthews
Dickson of Bexar	Mills
Dickson of Nolan	Montgomery
Donald	Moore
Dove	Morris
Duckett	Morse
Ellis	Pace
Eubank	Parker
Evans	Pevehouse
Favors	Phillips
Ferguson	Price
Files	Rampy
Fitzgerald	Reed of Bowie
Fuchs	Reed of Dallas
Gandy	Ridgeway
Hardeman	Rhodes
Hargis	Roark
Harris of Hill	Roberts
Hartzog	Senterfitt
Helpinstill	Simpson
Hileman	Skiles
Howard	Smith of Bastrop
Hoyo	Smith of Atascosa
Huddleston	Spacek
Hughes	Spangler
Humphrey	Stanford

Stubbs	Wattner
Taylor	White
Thornton	Whitesides
Turner	Winfree
Walters	

Nays—2

Goodman	Hutchinson
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Absent

Bailey	Henderson
Blankenship	Hobbs
Boone	Howington
Brawner	Huffman
Bundy	King
Burnaman	Klingeman
Celaya	Little
Chambers	Lowry
Cleveland	McAlister
Craig	Morgan
Deen	Murray
Dwyer	Sallas
Garland	Sharpe
Gilmer	Stinson
Halsey	Vale
Hanna	Voigt
Harris of Dallas	Weatherford

Absent—Excused

Daniel	Nicholson
Heflin	Shell
McCann	

The Speaker then laid the bill before the House, it was read first time and referred to the appropriate committee, as follows:

By Mr. Hardeman, Mr. Dickson of Nolan and Mr. Humphrey:

H. B. No. 1082, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend House Bill No. 146, Acts of the 47th Legislature of Texas, authorizing the Commissioners Court in all counties in the State of Texas to appropriate from the General Fund not more than Five Cents (5¢) on the One Hundred (\$100) Dollars assessed valuation, for the purpose of advertising and promoting the growth and development of the counties; providing for an election authorizing such appropriation and creating and providing for the appointment of a Board of Development devoted to the growth, advertisement, and development of such counties; providing said appropriation to constitute a separate fund to be known as the Board of Development Fund; limiting the amount to be appropriated; pre-

scribing certain duties for said Board; making the Act cumulative of other laws authorizing such counties to appropriate such money; and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Counties.

MOTIONS TO INTRODUCE CERTAIN BILL

Mr. Halsey moved to introduce the following bill:

By Mr. Halsey and Mr. Eubank:

H. B. No. —, A bill to be entitled "An Act declaring the recent floods of the Brazos, Tongue and Pease Rivers in Motley, Cottle, Childress, Hall, Borden, Dickens, Scurry, Kent, Stonewall, Garza, Hockley, Lubbock, Cochran, Crosby, Lynn, Terry, Gaines, Dawson, Yoakum, Lamb, Floyd, Briscoe, Hale, Swisher, Castro, Bailey and Parmer Counties to be a public calamity; authorizing a donation and grant to said Counties Flood Control Districts of one-half of the State ad valorem taxes collected in said counties for flood control improvement and maintenance purposes, specifying the reports thereon to be made by the Assessor and Collector of Taxes; authorizing the issuance of bonds secured by a pledge of the funds donated and granted by the State and prescribing the manner of issuance thereof; providing the procedure hereunder for all matters relating to said donation; providing that if any provision of this Act shall be held invalid, the other provisions shall not be affected; and declaring an emergency."

The motion was lost by the following vote (not receiving the necessary four-fifths vote):

Yeas—75

Allen	Connelly
Allison	Craig
Bean	Crosthwait
Bell	Dickson of Bexar
Boone	Dickson of Nolan
Bridgers	Donald
Brown	Dove
Bruhl	Duckett
Bullock	Eubank
Cato	Evans
Coker	Fitzgerald
Colson, Mrs.	Fuchs

Gandy	McMurry
Goodman	McNamara
Halsey	Manning
Hardeman	Montgomery
Hargis	Moore
Harris of Dallas	Morse
Harris of Hill	Murray
Hartzog	Pace
Helpinstill	Parker
Hobbs	Phillips
Howard	Reed of Bowie
Humphrey	Reed of Dallas
Isaacks	Ridgeway
Jones	Rhodes
Kennedy	Roark
Kersey	Simpson
Kinard	Skiles
King	Spacek
Lehman	Stanford
Leyendecker	Stinson
Little	Taylor
Love	Turner
Lucas	White
Lyle	Whitesides
McDonald	Winfree
McLellan	

Nays—35

Avant	Knight
Bailey	Lansberry
Benton	McGlasson
Brawner	Manford
Bray	Martin
Burkett	Matthews
Carlton	Mills
Carrington	Morris
Crossley	Price
Davis	Roberts
Ellis	Senterfitt
Favors	Smith of Bastrop
Ferguson	Smith of Atascosa
Hileman	Spangler
Hoyo	Stubbs
Hughes	Walters
Hutchinson	Wattner
Klingeman	

Present—Not Voting

Alsup	Kelly
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Absent

Baker	Files
Blankenship	Garland
Bundy	Gilmer
Burnaman	Hanna
Celaya	Henderson
Chambers	Howington
Clark	Huddleston
Cleveland	Huffman
Deen	Lock
Dwyer	Lowry

McAlister	Sharpe
Markle	Thornton
Morgan	Vale
Pevehouse	Voigt
Rampy	Weatherford
Sallas	

Absent—Excused

Daniel	Nicholson
Heflin	Shell
McCann	

Mr. Manning moved to suspend the rules in order that the above bill might be introduced.

The motion was lost by the following vote (not receiving the necessary four-fifths vote):

Yeas—80

Allison	Kersey
Bailey	Kinard
Bean	King
Bell	Klingeman
Boone	Knight
Bridgers	Lehman
Brown	Leyendecker
Bruhl	Little
Bullock	Lock
Carrington	Love
Cato	Lucas
Clark	Lyle
Coker	McDonald
Colson, Mrs.	McLellan
Crosthwait	McMurry
Davis	McNamara
Deen	Manford
Dickson of Bexar	Manning
Dickson of Nolan	Martin
Donald	Montgomery
Dove	Morgan
Duckett	Morse
Eubank	Murray
Evans	Pace
Fitzgerald	Phillips
Fuchs	Reed of Bowie
Gandy	Reed of Dallas
Goodman	Ridgeway
Halsey	Rhodes
Hardeman	Sallas
Hargis	Simpson
Harris of Dallas	Skiles
Hartzog	Spacek
Helpinstill	Stanford
Hobbs	Stubbs
Howard	Taylor
Huddleston	Thornton
Isaacks	Turner
Jones	Whitesides
Kelly	Winfree

Nays—32

Allen	Lansberry
Benton	McGlasson
Brawner	Matthews
Bray	Mills
Burkett	Moore
Carlton	Morris
Connelly	Parker
Crossley	Price
Favors	Roberts
Ferguson	Senterfitt
Harris of Hill	Smith of Bastrop
Hileman	Smith of Atascosa
Hoyo	Spangler
Hughes	Stinson
Hutchinson	Walters
Kennedy	Wattner

Present—Not Voting

Alsup	Ellis
Absent	
Avant	Howington
Baker	Huffman
Blankenship	Humphrey
Bundy	Lowry
Burnaman	McAlister
Celaya	Markle
Chambers	Pevehouse
Cleveland	Rampy
Craig	Roark
Dwyer	Sharpe
Files	Vale
Garland	Voigt
Gilmer	Weatherford
Hanna	White
Henderson	

Absent—Excused

Daniel	Nicholson
Heflin	Shell
McCann	

**MOTION TO PASS SENATE BILL
NO. 187, NOTWITHSTANDING
THE OBJECTIONS OF
THE GOVERNOR**

Mr. Kersey moved to pass, at this time, Senate Bill No. 187, notwithstanding the objections of the Governor,

S. B. No. 187, A bill to be entitled "An Act to facilitate the cooperation of this State with other units of government, determining the membership of the Board, and establishing the Texas Commission on In-

terstate Cooperation, etc.; and declaring an emergency."

(Mr. McLellan in the Chair.)

Senate Bill No. 187 failed to pass, notwithstanding the objections of the Governor, by the following vote, (not receiving the necessary two-thirds vote):

Yeas—71

Allison	Isaacks
Alsup	Kersey
Avant	Klingeman
Bell	Leyendecker
Benton	Little
Boone	Love
Bridgers	Lyle
Brown	McAlister
Burnaman	McDonald
Carlton	McGlasson
Carrington	McMurry
Cato	McNamara
Clark	Manford
Coker	Markle
Colson, Mrs.	Montgomery
Connelly	Morgan
Craig	Morris
Crossley	Morse
Dickson of Bexar	Phillips
Donald	Rhodes
Ellis	Senterfitt
Eubank	Sharpe
Evans	Skiles
Files	Spacek
Fitzgerald	Spangler
Fuchs	Stanford
Gandy	Taylor
Gilmer	Thornton
Hargis	Turner
Harris of Dallas	Vale
Harris of Hill	Walters
Hartzog	Wattner
Henderson	Weatherford
Howard	Whitesides
Huffman	Winfree
Hughes	

Nays—56

Allen	Dwyer
Bailey	Favors
Baker	Goodman
Bean	Halsey
Bray	Hanna
Bruhl	Hardeman
Bullock	Helpinstill
Burkett	Hileman
Crosthwait	Hobbs
Davis	Hoyo
Deen	Huddleston
Dickson of Nolan	Humphrey

Hutchinson	Parker
Jones	Pevehouse
Kennedy	Price
Kinard	Rampy
King	Reed of Bowie
Knight	Reed of Dallas
Lansberry	Ridgeway
Lehman	Roark
Lock	Roberts
Lucas	Sallas
Manning	Simpson
Martin	Smith of Bastrop
Matthews	Smith of Atascosa
Mills	Stubbs
Murray	Voigt
Pace	White

Absent

Blankenship	Ferguson
Brawner	Garland
Bundy	Howington
Celaya	Kelly
Chambers	Lowry
Cleveland	Moore
Dove	Stinson
Duckett	

Absent—Excused

Daniel	Nicholson
Heflin	Shell
McCann	

(Speaker in the Chair.)

Mr. Kennedy moved to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 187 failed to pass, notwithstanding the objections of the Governor, and asked to have the motion to reconsider spread on the Journal.

TO PROVIDE FOR ADJOURNMENT
SINE DIE

The Speaker laid before the House, as pending business, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 77, providing for adjournment sine die on June 17.

The resolution having heretofore been read second time.

Mr. Hughes offered the following amendment to the resolution:

Amend Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 77, by striking out the words and figures "June 17," and substituting in lieu thereof "July 1st."

HUGHES,
McNAMARA.

Mr. Hanna moved to table the amendment.

Question recurring on the motion to table, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion to table was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—59

Allen	Jones
Bailey	Kennedy
Baker	Kersey
Benton	King
Blankenship	Klingeman
Bullock	Knight
Bundy	Lehman
Burkett	Lock
Burnaman	Lowry
Craig	Lucas
Crossley	McMurry
Crosthwait	Manford
Dickson of Nolan	Martin
Duckett	Matthews
Eubank	Morse
Evans	Murray
Favors	Pace
Fuchs	Parker
Goodman	Pevehouse
Hanna	Price
Hartzog	Rampy
Helpinstill	Reed of Bowie
Hileman	Ridgeway
Hobbs	Sallas
Howington	Stinson
Hoyo	Turner
Huddleston	Vale
Huffman	Voigt
Humphrey	Wattner
Hutchinson	

Nays—72

Allison	Ellis
Alsup	Ferguson
Avant	Files
Bean	Fitzgerald
Bell	Gandy
Boone	Garland
Brawner	Hardeman
Bray	Hargis
Bridgers	Harris of Hill
Brown	Henderson
Bruhl	Howard
Carlton	Hughes
Carrington	Isaacks
Cato	Kelly
Clark	Kinard
Cleveland	Lansberry
Coker	Leyendecker
Connelly	Little
Davis	Love
Dickson of Bexar	Lyle
Donald	McAlister
Dove	McGlasson
Dwyer	McLellan

McNamara	Sharpe
Manning	Skiles
Markle	Smith of Bastrop
Mills	Smith of Atascosa
Montgomery	Spacek
Moore	Spangler
Morris	Stubbs
Phillips	Taylor
Reed of Dallas	Thornton
Rhodes	Walters
Roark	Weatherford
Roberts	White
Senterfitt	Winfree

Absent

Celaya	Harris of Dallas
Chambers	McDonald
Colson, Mrs.	Morgan
Deen	Simpson
Gilmer	Stanford
Halsey	Whitesides

Absent—Excused

Daniel	Nicholson
Heflin	Shell
McCann	

Question recurring on the amendment by Mr. Hughes, yeas and nays were demanded.

The amendment was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—74

Allison	Fitzgerald
Alsup	Fuchs
Avant	Gandy
Bean	Garland
Bell	Halsey
Benton	Hardeman
Boone	Hargis
Brawner	Harris of Dallas
Bray	Harris of Hill
Bridgers	Henderson
Brown	Hileman
Bruhl	Howard
Bundy	Hughes
Burnaman	Isaacks
Carlton	Kelly
Carrington	Kinard
Cato	Lansberry
Clark	Leyendecker
Cleveland	Little
Coker	Lock
Connelly	McAlister
Donald	McGlasson
Dove	McLellan
Ellis	McNamara
Evans	Manning
Ferguson	Martin
Files	Mills

Montgomery	Spangler
Morris	Stanford
Morse	Stubbs
Phillips	Taylor
Roark	Thornton
Roberts	Walters
Simpson	Wattner
Skiles	White
Smith of Atascosa	Whitesides
Spacek	Winfree

Nays—60

Allen	Kersey
Bailey	King
Baker	Klingeman
Blankenship	Knight
Bullock	Lehman
Burkett	Lowry
Craig	Lucas
Crossley	Lyle
Crosthwait	McMurry
Deen	Manford
Dickson of Bexar	Markle
Dickson of Nolan	Matthews
Duckett	Morgan
Dwyer	Murray
Eubank	Pace
Favors	Pevehouse
Gilmer	Price
Goodman	Rampy
Hanna	Reed of Bowie
Hartzog	Reed of Dallas
Helpinstill	Ridgeway
Hobbs	Rhodes
Howington	Sallas
Hoyo	Senterfitt
Huddleston	Sharpe
Huffman	Smith of Bastrop
Humphrey	Stinson
Hutchinson	Turner
Jones	Vale
Kennedy	Voigt

Absent

Celaya	McDonald
Chambers	Moore
Colson, Mrs.	Parker
Davis	Weatherford
Love	

Absent—Excused

Daniel	Nicholson
Heflin	Sheli
McCann	

Mr. Taylor moved that the resolution be tabled.

The motion to table prevailed.

Mr. Reed of Bowie, moved to suspend the Rules in order that a mo-

tion may be made to reconsider the vote by which the resolution was tabled.

The motion to suspend the rules was lost.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Austin, Texas, June 11, 1941.

Hon. Homer Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has adopted

H. C. R. No. 227, Relative to suspension of Rules, so as to consider House Bill No. 161, Wednesday or Thursday, June 11 or 12, 1941.

Respectfully,

BOB BARKER,

Secretary of the Senate.

ADOPTION OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT ON HOUSE BILL NO. 272

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time, the Conference Committee report on House Bill No. 272, same being the bill appropriating certain sums for support of State higher educational institutions.

The report having heretofore been submitted to the House and printed as a supplement to the House Journal.

Mr. Reed of Dallas moved that the Conference Committee report on House Bill No. 272 be adopted.

Mr. Hartzog moved the previous question on the Conference report on House Bill No. 272, and the main question was ordered.

Mr. Donald moved to reconsider the vote by which the main question was ordered.

Mr. Morris moved to table the motion to reconsider.

Question recurring on the motion to table, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion to table was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—56

Allen	Jones
Alsup	Kelly
Avant	Kennedy
Bean	Knight
Bell	Little
Benton	Lock
Boone	Love
Brown	McAlister
Bullock	McLellan
Burnaman	Manford
Carlton	Manning
Carrington	Markle
Cato	Matthews
Cleveland	Morris
Coker	Morse
Colson, Mrs.	Phillips
Crothwait	Roberts
Ellis	Simpson
Ferguson	Skiles
Files	Smith of Bastrop
Fuchs	Smith of Atascosa
Gilmer	Spacek
Goodman	Turner
Halsey	Vale
Hardeman	Walters
Hartzog	Wattner
Howard	Weatherford
Hughes	White

Nays—78

Allison	Harris of Dallas
Bailey	Harris of Hill
Baker	Helpinstill
Blankenship	Henderson
Brawner	Hileman
Bray	Hobbs
Bridgers	Howington
Bruhl	Huddleston
Bundy	Huffman
Burkett	Humphrey
Chambers	Hutchinson
Connelly	Isaacks
Craig	Kersey
Crossley	Kinard
Davis	King
Deen	Klingeman
Dickson of Bexar	Lansberry
Dickson of Nolan	Lehman
Donald	Lowry
Dove	Lucas
Duckett	Lyle
Dwyer	McDonald
Eubank	McGlasson
Evans	McMurry
Favors	McNamara
Fitzgerald	Martin
Gandy	Mills
Garland	Montgomery
Hanna	Moore
Hargis	Morgan

Murray	Roark
Pace	Sallas
Parker	Senterfitt
Pevehouse	Stinson
Price	Stubbs
Rampy	Thornton
Reed of Bowie	Voigt
Ridgeway	Whitesides
Rhodes	Winfree

Absent

Celaya	Reed of Dallas
Clark	Sharpe
Hoyo	Spangler
Leyendecker	Taylor

Absent—Excused

Daniel	Nicholson
Heflin	Shell
McCann	Stanford

Question then recurring on the motion to reconsider the vote by which the main question was ordered, it prevailed.

Question: Shall the main question be ordered?

The motion was lost.

(Mr. Bell in the Chair.)

Mr. Donald moved to postpone further consideration of the Conference report until 11:00 o'clock a. m., next Monday.

Mr. Huffman moved as a substitute motion that the Conference report on House Bill No. 272 be postponed until 10:00 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

Mr. Morris moved to table the motion to postpone by Mr. Donald.

Question recurring on the motion to table, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion to table prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—85

Allen	Bridgers
Allison	Bullock
Alsup	Burnaman
Avant	Carlton
Baker	Carrington
Bean	Cato
Bell	Chambers
Blankenship	Clark
Boone	Cleveland

Coker	Little
Colson, Mrs.	Lock
Crosthwait	Love
Daniel	Lyle
Ellis	McAlister
Eubank	McDonald
Evans	McLellan
Ferguson	Manford
Files	Markle
Fitzgerald	Matthews
Fuchs	Montgomery
Garland	Morgan
Gilmer	Morris
Goodman	Morse
Halsey	Murray
Hardeman	Phillips
Hargis	Price
Hartzog	Reed of Bowie
Helpinstill	Reed of Dallas
Howard	Roberts
Howington	Sallas
Hoyo	Senterfitt
Huddleston	Simpson
Huffman	Skiles
Hughes	Smith of Atascosa
Hutchinson	Spacek
Isaacks	Stinson
Jones	Taylor
Kelly	Vale
Kennedy	Walters
King	Wattner
Klingeman	Weatherford
Knight	White
Lansberry	

Nays—47

Bailey	Kinard
Bray	Lehman
Bruhl	Lowry
Bundy	Lucas
Burkett	McGlasson
Connelly	McMurry
Crossley	McNamara
Davis	Martin
Deen	Mills
Dickson of Bexar	Pace
Dickson of Nolan	Parker
Donald	Pevehouse
Dove	Rampy
Duckett	Ridgeway
Dwyer	Rhodes
Favors	Roark
Gandy	Sharpe
Hanna	Stubbs
Harris of Dallas	Thornton
Henderson	Turner
Hileman	Voigt
Hobbs	Whitesides
Humphrey	Winfree
Kersey	

Absent

Benton	Leyendecker
Brawner	Manning
Brown	Moore
Celaya	Smith of Bastrop
Craig	Spangler

Absent—Excused

Harris of Hill	Nicholson
Heflin	Shell
McCann	Stanford

Mr. Hutchinson moved as a substitute motion that the Conference Committee report on House Bill No. 272 be not adopted, and be sent back to the same Conference Committee with instructions that the appropriations for Prairie View College be restored in the bill.

Mr. Morris moved the previous question on the pending motions, and the motion was duly seconded.

Question recurring on the motion for the main question, it was lost.

Question recurring on the substitute motion by Mr. Hutchinson, it was lost.

Question then recurring on the motion by Mr. Reed of Dallas, that the Conference Committee report on House Bill No. 272 be adopted, yeas and nays were demanded.

The report was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—77

Allen	Cleveland
Allison	Coker
Alsup	Colson, Mrs.
Avant	Ellis
Baker	Evans
Bean	Ferguson
Blankenship	Files
Boone	Fitzgerald
Brawner	Fuchs
Bridgers	Gilmer
Brown	Goodman
Bullock	Halsey
Burnaman	Hardeman
Carlton	Hargis
Carrington	Hartzog
Cato	Helpinstill
Chambers	Howard
Clark	Hughes

Hutchinson	Morris
Isaacks	Morse
Jones	Pace
Kelly	Phillips
Kennedy	Price
Klingeman	Reed of Dallas
Knight	Roberts
Lansberry	Sallas
Lehman	Simpson
Little	Skiles
Lock	Smith of Atascosa
Love	Spacek
Lyle	Stinson
McAlister	Taylor
McDonald	Turner
McLellan	Vale
Manford	Walters
Markle	Wattner
Matthews	White
Montgomery	Whitesides
Morgan	

Nays—54

Bailey	Humphrey
Bray	Kersey
Bruhl	King
Bundy	Lowry
Burkett	Lucas
Connelly	McGlasson
Crossley	McMurry
Crosthwait	McNamara
Davis	Manning
Deen	Martin
Dickson of Bexar	Mills
Dickson of Nolan	Murray
Donald	Parker
Dove	Pevehouse
Duckett	Rampy
Dwyer	Reed of Bowie
Eubank	Ridgeway
Garland	Rhodes
Hanna	Roark
Harris of Dallas	Senterfitt
Henderson	Sharpe
Hileman	Stanford
Hobbs	Stubbs
Howington	Thornton
Hoyo	Voigt
Huddleston	Weatherford
Huffman	Winfree

Absent

Benton	Kinard
Celaya	Leyendecker
Craig	Moore
Favors	Smith of Bastrop
Gandy	Spangler

Absent—Excused

Daniel	Harris of Hill
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Heflin	Nicholson
McCann	Shell

Mr. Reed of Dallas moved to reconsider the vote by which the report was adopted and to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion to table prevailed.

(Speaker in the Chair.)

RELATIVE TO HOUSE BILL
NO. 272

Mr. Reed of Dallas asked unanimous consent of the House that the Enrolling Clerk of the House be instructed to make the necessary corrective changes and to correct the totals in House Bill No. 272.

There was no objection offered and it was so ordered.

BILL ORDERED NOT PRINTED

On motion of Hardeman, H. B. No. 1082 was ordered not printed.

HOUSE BILL NO. 188 ON
SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 188, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 198 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, as amended by Acts of the 46th Legislature, 1939, page 148, Section I, relating to, and designating the Supreme Judicial Districts of the State of Texas, by transferring Brown County from the Third Supreme Judicial District to the Eleventh Supreme Judicial District; providing that this Act shall not affect the jurisdiction of the Court of Civil Appeals for the Third Supreme Judicial District in cases appealed from Brown County, in which the transcript shall have been filed in said court prior to the date this Act takes effect, etc.; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. Chambers offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 188 by inserting the word "Brown" in Section 1 of page 2 after the word "Bell" and before the word "Burnet" in line 19 and striking out the word

"Brown" in line 26, page 3, Section 1 and by striking out the word "Brown" wherever it may occur in Section 2 and Section 3 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Coleman" in Section 2 and Section 3.

The amendment was adopted.

By unanimous consent of the House the caption of the bill was ordered amended to conform to all changes and with the body of the bill.

House Bill No. 188 was then passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 188 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Chambers moved that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House Bill No. 188 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—118

Allen	Dwyer
Allison	Ellis
Alsup	Eubank
Avant	Evans
Bailey	Ferguson
Baker	Fitzgerald
Bell	Fuchs
Blankenship	Garland
Boone	Goodman
Brawner	Halsey
Bray	Hanna
Bridgers	Hardeman
Bullock	Hargis
Bundy	Harris of Dallas
Burkett	Hartzog
Burnaman	Helpinstill
Carlton	Henderson
Carrington	Hileman
Cato	Hobbs
Chambers	Howard
Clark	Howington
Cleveland	Hoyo
Coker	Huddleston
Colson, Mrs.	Huffman
Connelly	Humphrey
Crossley	Hutchinson
Davis	Isaacks
Deen	Jones
Dickson of Bexar	Kelly
Dickson of Nolan	Kennedy
Donald	Kersey
Dove	King
Duckett	Klingeman

Knight	Price
Lansberry	Rampy
Lehman	Reed of Bowie
Lock	Reed of Dallas
Love	Ridgeway
Lowry	Rhodes
Lucas	Roark
McAlister	Roberts
McGlasson	Sallas
McLellan	Senterfitt
McMurry	Sharpe
McNamara	Simpson
Manford	Smith of Atascosa
Markle	Spacek
Martin	Stinson
Matthews	Stubbs
Mills	Taylor
Montgomery	Thornton
Morgan	Turner
Morris	Vale
Morse	Voigt
Murray	Walters
Pace	Wattner
Parker	Weatherford
Pevehouse	White
Phillips	Whitesides

Absent

Bean	Kinard
Benton	Leyendecker
Brown	Little
Bruhl	Lyle
Celaya	McDonald
Craig	Manning
Crosthwait	Moore
Favors	Skiles
Files	Smith of Bastrop
Gandy	Spangler
Gilmer	Winfree
Hughes	

Absent—Excused

Daniel	Nicholson
Harris of Hill	Shell
Heflin	Stanford
McCann	

The Speaker then laid House Bill No. 188 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—118

Allen	Boone
Allison	Brawner
Alsup	Bray
Avant	Bridgers
Bailey	Bullock
Baker	Bundy
Bell	Burkett
Blankenship	Burnaman

Carlton	Lansberry
Carrington	Lehman
Cato	Lock
Chambers	Love
Clark	Lowry
Cleveland	Lucas
Coker	McAlister
Colson, Mrs.	McGlasson
Connelly	McLellan
Crossley	McMurry
Davis	McNamara
Deen	Manford
Dickson of Bexar	Markle
Dickson of Nolan	Martin
Donald	Matthews
Dove	Mills
Duckett	Montgomery
Dwyer	Morgan
Ellis	Morris
Eubank	Morse
Evans	Murray
Ferguson	Pace
Fitzgerald	Parker
Fuchs	Pevehouse
Garland	Phillips
Goodman	Price
Halsey	Rampy
Hanna	Reed of Bowie
Hardeman	Reed of Dallas
Hargis	Ridgeway
Harris of Dallas	Rhodes
Hartzog	Roark
Helpinstill	Roberts
Henderson	Sallas
Hileman	Senterfitt
Hobbs	Sharpe
Howard	Simpson
Howington	Smith of Atascosa
Hoyo	Spacek
Huddleston	Stinson
Huffman	Stubbs
Humphrey	Taylor
Hutchinson	Thornton
Isaacks	Turner
Jones	Vale
Kelly	Voigt
Kennedy	Walters
Kersey	Wattner
King	Weatherford
Klingeman	White
Knight	Whitesides

Absent

Bean	Gandy
Benton	Gilmer
Brown	Hughes
Bruhl	Kinard
Celaya	Leyendecker
Craig	Little
Crosthwait	Lyle
Favors	McDonald
Files	Manning

Moore	Spangler
Skilley	Winfree
Smith of Bastrop	

Absent—Excused

Daniel	Nicholson
Harris of Hill	Shell
Heflin	Stanford
McCann	

HOUSE BILL NO. 1081 ON
SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1081, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prohibit the use of a seine or net for taking fish in Brown County except a minnow seine not more than twenty (20) feet in length when used for the purpose of taking minnows for bait; prohibiting the use of a seine or net for any purpose in the waters of Lake Brownwood; providing a penalty; repealing all laws in conflict; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1081 ON
THIRD READING

Mr. Chambers moved that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House Bill No. 1081 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—118

Allen	Chambers
Allison	Clark
Alsup	Cleveland
Avant	Coker
Bailey	Colson, Mrs.
Baker	Connelly
Bell	Crossley
Blankenship	Davis
Boone	Deen
Brawner	Dickson of Bexar
Bray	Dickson of Nolan
Bridgers	Donald
Bullock	Dove
Bundy	Duckett
Burkett	Dwyer
Burnaman	Ellis
Carlton	Eubank
Carrington	Evans
Cato	Ferguson

Fitzgerald	Manford
Fuchs	Markle
Garland	Martin
Goodman	Matthews
Halsey	Mills
Hanna	Montgomery
Hardeman	Morgan
Hargis	Morris
Harris of Dallas	Morse
Hartzog	Murray
Helpinstill	Pace
Henderson	Parker
Hileman	Pevehouse
Hobbs	Phillips
Howard	Price
Howington	Rampy
Hoyo	Reed of Bowie
Huddleston	Reed of Dallas
Huffman	Ridgeway
Humphrey	Rhodes
Hutchinson	Roark
Isaacks	Roberts
Jones	Sallas
Kelly	Senterfitt
Kennedy	Sharpe
Kersey	Simpson
King	Smith of Atascosa
Klingeman	Spacek
Knight	Stinson
Lansberry	Stubbs
Lehman	Taylor
Lock	Thornton
Love	Turner
Lowry	Vale
Lucas	Voigt
McAlister	Walters
McGlasson	Wattner
McLellan	Weatherford
McMurry	White
McNamara	Whitesides

Absent

Bean	Kinard
Benton	Leyendecker
Brown	Little
Bruhl	Lyle
Celaya	McDonald
Craig	Manning
Crosthwait	Moore
Favors	Skiles
Files	Smith of Atascosa
Gandy	Spangler
Gilmer	Winfree
Hughes	

Absent—Excused

Daniel	Nicholson
Harris of Hill	Shell
Heflin	Stanford
McCann	

The Speaker then laid House Bill No. 1081 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—118

Allen	Howington
Allison	Hoyo
Alsup	Huddleston
Avant	Huffman
Bailey	Humphrey
Baker	Hutchinson
Bell	Isaacks
Blankenship	Jones
Boone	Kelly
Brawner	Kennedy
Bray	Kersey
Bridgers	King
Bullock	Klingeman
Bundy	Knight
Burkett	Lansberry
Burnaman	Lehman
Carlton	Lock
Carrington	Love
Cato	Lowry
Chambers	Lucas
Clark	McAlister
Cleveland	McGlasson
Coker	McLellan
Colson, Mrs.	McMurry
Connelly	McNamara
Crossley	Manford
Davis	Markle
Deen	Martin
Dickson of Bexar	Matthews
Dickson of Nolan	Mills
Donald	Montgomery
Dove	Morgan
Duckett	Morris
Dwyer	Morse
Ellis	Murray
Eubank	Pace
Evans	Parker
Ferguson	Pevehouse
Fitzgerald	Phillips
Fuchs	Price
Garland	Rampy
Goodman	Reed of Bowie
Halsey	Reed of Dallas
Hanna	Ridgeway
Hardeman	Rhodes
Hargis	Roark
Harris of Dallas	Roberts
Hartzog	Sallas
Helpinstill	Senterfitt
Henderson	Sharpe
Hileman	Simpson
Hobbs	Smith of Atascosa
Howard	Spacek

Stinson	Voigt
Stubbs	Walters
Taylor	Wattner
Thornton	Weatherford
Turner	White
Vale	Whitesides

Absent

Bean	Kinard
Benton	Leyendecker
Brown	Little
Bruhl	Lyle
Celaya	McDonald
Craig	Manning
Crosthwait	Moore
Favors	Skiles
Files	Smith of Bastrop
Gandy	Spangler
Gilmer	Winfree
Hughes	

Absent—Excused

Daniel	Nicholson
Harris of Hill	Shell
Heflin	Stanford
McCann	

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1082 ON
SECOND READING**

Mr. Hardeman moved that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that House Bill No. 1082 be placed on its second reading and passage to engrossment, and on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—118

Allen	Coker
Allison	Colson, Mrs.
Alsup	Connelly
Avant	Crossley
Bailey	Davis
Baker	Deen
Bell	Dickson of Bexar
Blankenship	Dickson of Nolan
Boone	Donald
Brawner	Dove
Bray	Duckett
Bridgers	Dwyer
Bullock	Ellis
Bundy	Eubank
Burkett	Evans
Burnaman	Ferguson
Carlton	Fitzgerald
Carrington	Fuchs
Cato	Garland
Chambers	Goodman
Clark	Halsey
Cleveland	Hanna

Hardeman	Matthews
Hargis	Mills
Harris of Dallas	Montgomery
Hartzog	Morgan
Helpinstill	Morris
Henderson	Morse
Hileman	Murray
Hobbs	Pace
Howard	Parker
Howington	Pevehouse
Hoyo	Phillips
Huddleston	Price
Huffman	Rampy
Humphrey	Reed of Bowie
Hutchinson	Reed of Dallas
Isaacks	Ridgeway
Jones	Rhodes
Kelly	Roark
Kennedy	Roberts
Kersey	Sallas
King	Senterfitt
Klingeman	Sharpe
Knight	Simpson
Lansberry	Smith of Atascosa
Lehman	Spacek
Lock	Stinson
Love	Stubbs
Lowry	Taylor
Lucas	Thornton
McAlister	Turner
McGlasson	Vale
McLellan	Voigt
McMurry	Walters
McNamara	Wattner
Manford	Weatherford
Markle	White
Martin	Whitesides

Absent

Bean	Kinard
Benton	Leyendecker
Brown	Little
Bruhl	Lyle
Celaya	McDonald
Craig	Manning
Crosthwait	Moore
Favors	Skiles
Files	Smith of Bastrop
Gandy	Spangler
Gilmer	Winfree
Hughes	

Absent—Excused

Daniel	Nicholson
Harris of Hill	Shell
Heflin	Stanford
McCann	

The Speaker then laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 1082, A bill to be entitled
"An Act to amend House Bill No.

146, Acts of the 47th Legislature of Texas, authorizing the Commissioners Court in all Counties in the State of Texas to appropriate from the General Fund not more than five-cents (5¢) on the One Hundred (\$100) Dollars assessed valuation, for the purpose of advertising and promoting the growth and development of the counties; and providing for an election authorizing such appropriation and creating and providing for the appointment of a Board of Development devoted to the growth, advertisement, and development of such counties; providing said appropriation to constitute a separate fund to be known as the Board of Development Fund; limiting the amount to be appropriated; prescribing certain duties for said Board; making the Act cumulative of other laws authorizing such counties to appropriate such money; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1082 ON THIRD READING

The Speaker then laid House Bill No. 1082 before the House on third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—118

Allen	Connelly
Allison	Crossley
Alsup	Davis
Avant	Deen
Bailey	Dickson of Bexar
Baker	Dickson of Nolan
Bell	Donald
Blankenship	Dove
Boone	Duckett
Brawner	Dwyer
Bray	Ellis
Bridgers	Eubank
Bullock	Evans
Bundy	Ferguson
Burkett	Fitzgerald
Burnaman	Fuchs
Carlton	Garland
Carrington	Goodman
Cato	Halsey
Chambers	Hanna
Clark	Hardeman
Cleveland	Hargis
Coker	Harris of Dallas
Colson, Mrs.	Hartzog

Helpinstill
Henderson
Hileman
Hobbs
Howard
Howington
Hoyo
Huddleston
Huffman
Humphrey
Hutchinson
Isaacks
Jones
Kelly
Kennedy
Kersey
King
Klingeman
Knight
Lansberry
Lehman
Lock
Love
Lowry
Lucas
McAlister
McGlasson
McLellan
McMurry
McNamara
Manford
Markle
Martin
Matthews
Mills

Montgomery
Morgan
Morris
Morse
Murray
Pace
Parker
Pevehouse
Phillips
Price
Rampy
Reed of Bowie
Reed of Dallas
Ridgeway
Rhodes
Roark
Roberts
Sallas
Senterfitt
Sharpe
Simpson
Smith of Atascosa
Spacek
Stinson
Stubbs
Taylor
Thornton
Turner
Vale
Voigt
Walters
Wattner
Weatherford
White
Whitesides

Absent

Bean	Kinard
Benton	Leyendecker
Brown	Little
Bruhl	Lyle
Celaya	McDonald
Craig	Manning
Crosthwait	Moore
Favors	Skiles
Files	Smith of Bastrop
Gandy	Spangler
Gilmer	Winfree
Hughes	

Absent—Excused

Daniel	Nicholson
Harris of Hill	Shell
Heflin	Stanford
McCann	

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. McNamara moved that the House adjourn until 10:00 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Mr. Duckett moved that the House recess to 8:30 o'clock p. m. today.

The motion of Mr. McNamara prevailed and the House accordingly at 6:45 o'clock p. m., adjourned until 10:00 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

APPENDIX

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

The following Committees have filed favorable reports on bills, as follows:

Appropriations: Senate Bills Nos. 459 and 490.

Labor: House Bills Nos. 656 and 661.

Game and Fisheries: House Bill No. 1081.

Counties: House Bill No. 1082.

REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS

Austin, Texas, June 10, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 86, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 482, Acts of the 44th Legislature, Third Called Session, 1936, page 1993, as amended by Acts of the 45th Legislature, 1937, Chapter 67, page 121, and as amended by Acts of the 46th Legislature, 1939, page 436, so as to make the Texas Unemployment Compensation Law conform to amendments made by the Congress of the United States in 1939 to the Federal Social Security Act, providing additional definitions of the term 'employment,' providing for certain exceptions so that the term 'employment' will not include services performed in any calendar quarter by one in the employ of any organization exempt from the payment of income tax under Section 101 of the Internal Revenue Code, providing that the term 'employment' shall not include services performed by an individual as an insurance agent or as an insurance solicitor if such service is performed for remuneration solely by way of commission, providing that, if any portion

of this Act shall be declared unconstitutional and invalid, the remainder shall not be affected thereby, and, further, declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 10, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 501, A bill to be entitled "An Act making it unlawful to take or kill wild deer in the Counties of Tom Green, Irion, Sterling, Reagan and Glasscock for a period of five (5) years; prescribing penalty for the violation of this Act; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 10, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 502, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Senate Bill No. 175, being Chapter 15 of the Acts of the Forty-sixth Legislature, approved March 25, 1939, authorizing independent school districts and cities which have assumed the control of public schools situated therein to build or purchase buildings and grounds located within or without the district or city, for the purpose of constructing gymnasias, stadia, or other recreational facilities, and to authorize the purchase of additional buildings and grounds for such purposes, and to mortgage and encumber the same, and the income thereof, and to evidence the obligation therefor by the issuance of bonds to secure the payment of funds to purchase or construct or to purchase and construct the same; providing that the purchaser shall have a franchise to operate the same in case of foreclosure; providing that no such obligation shall ever be a debt of any such school district or city; but sole-

ly a charge upon the property so encumbered; providing that no election for the issuance of such bonds shall be necessary; providing that such project shall be deemed self-liquidating in character; providing that such bonds may be authorized by a majority vote of the boards of trustees of such school districts or the governing bodies of any such cities; providing that the cost of maintaining and operating the project shall be a first charge against the revenues of the project; providing that such bonds shall be payable from the net revenue, etc.; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 10, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 603, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for an appeal directly to the Supreme Court of Texas from any order of any district court of this State granting or denying any interlocutory or permanent injunction on the ground of the constitutionality or unconstitutionality of any statute of this State, or on the validity or invalidity of any administrative order issued by any State agency under any statute of this State."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 10, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 626, A bill to be entitled "An Act to declare valid and legal the establishment and organization of housing authorities, all bonds, notes, contracts, agreements, obligations, and undertakings of such housing authorities, and all proceedings, acts, and things heretofore undertaken, performed or done with reference thereto; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 10, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 964, A bill to be entitled "An Act to appropriate money out of the State Treasury to pay a judgment against the State of Texas in the sum of \$1,000, with interest thereon at the rate of 6% from the 27th day of March, 1929, amounting to \$725.00, in favor of Dick Isbell in cause No. 6471 in the 7th District Court of Upshur County; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 10, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 1019, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating consolidation of certain common school districts, independent school districts and consolidated independent school districts and county line school districts, wherein a majority of the voter of each of the affected districts approve such consolidation at an election held for such purpose; providing, however, such validation shall not apply to districts now in litigation; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 10, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 1034, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the Commissioners Court of Yoakum County to improve and maintain public roads and highways heretofore laid out or

constructed, and to construct public roads and highways hereafter laid out by the County, whether such public roads or highways are inside or outside of any incorporated city or town in such county; authorizing the issuance of time warrants for such purposes; declaring that this Act shall be cumulative of all laws when not in conflict therewith, but in case of conflict this Act shall control; providing a savings clause; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 10, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 1047, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the extension of the primary term of oil, gas or mineral leases heretofore or hereafter issued by the Commissioner of the General Land Office which lease has been, is, or which may hereafter become involved in litigation relating to its validity or to the authority of the Commissioner of the General Land Office to lease the land covered thereby, for a period of five (5) years; providing the terms and conditions upon which such lease may be extended; providing the time for the application for such extension; providing for the exploration and development of lands covered in the lease during the pendency of litigation, etc.; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 10, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 1054, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 19 (f) of Article 3912e, also known as Section 19 (f) of Acts of the Second Called Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature, Chapter 465, page 1762, by adding thereto a new Section, to be known as Section 19 (f-1) of Article

3912e, to make adequate provision for the employment and compensation of assistants and employees by the District Attorney or Criminal District Attorney in any county having a population of not less than three hundred and twenty-five thousand (325,000) nor more than five hundred thousand (500,000) inhabitants, according to the last preceding or any future Federal Census; and providing further for the employment and compensation of certain additional assistants and employees by the District Attorney or Criminal District Attorney, by and with the advice and consent of the Commissioners Court in any county having a population of not less than three hundred and twenty-five thousand (325,000) nor more than five hundred thousand (500,000) inhabitants according to the last preceding or any future Federal Census; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 10, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 1056, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 2 of House Bill No. 160, Acts of the First Called Session of the Forty-first Legislature, Chapter 83, page 209, by authorizing any city or county, having a population of not less than fifteen thousand (15,000) and not more than fifteen thousand, two hundred and fifty (15,250) to issue its general obligation bonds or warrants for the purpose of acquiring and improving land for airport purposes; . . . and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 10, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 1061, A bill to be en-

titled "An Act to amend Section 1 of Senate Bill No. 41, Acts of the Forty-second Legislature, Regular Session, approved May 5, 1931, being an Act defining Group Life Insurance; providing that no policy of Group Life Insurance shall be issued or delivered unless and until a copy of the form thereof has been filed with the Life Insurance Commissioner and formally approved by him, stipulating the provisions which must be contained in such policy; providing the manner of paying the proceeds of any such insurance; providing the method of computing the reserves on such policies; prohibiting the issuance of any contract of Life Insurance covering a group except as provided by the provisions of the Act; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 10, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 1064, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 2 of Chapter 11 of Subdivision III, Water Improvement Districts, Acts of the 46th Legislature, Regular Session (House Bill No. 594, approved April 18, 1939, and effective the same date) so as to provide for dividing Water Improvement Districts organized or operated under Chapter 2 of Title 128, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1925, when such districts are operated under contract with the Department of the Interior of the Government of the United States, into divisions for the election of directors thereof; validating and confirming all orders heretofore made by the Board of Directors of such districts, dividing said districts into divisions, and validating and confirming all elections heretofore held for directors for each of such divisions; requiring directors thereof to be owners of land subject to taxation in the division from which they are elected; providing for the

election of such directors by the vote of the qualified electors of the whole Water Improvement District; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 10, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 1073, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize and empower the Board of Insurance Commissioners of the State of Texas to promulgate a comprehensive rating plan for workmen's compensation and motor vehicle insurance in combination with other forms of insurance required or used in connection with the construction or operation of National Defense projects; authorizing the Board to promulgate rules and regulations incident thereto; providing that this Act shall be cumulative of existing laws and applicable only to insurance rates in relation to National Defense Projects; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 10, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 1075, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 6205, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended by Chapter 153, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-first Legislature, as amended by Chapter 82, Acts of the Fifth Called Session of the Forty-first Legislature, as amended by Chapter 485, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-fifth Legislature; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 10, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 1076, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the qualified voters of Hooks Independent School District situated wholly within Bowie County, a district containing not less than fifty-nine square miles in area, and having an assessed property valuation of not less than three hundred seventy thousand dollars, to determine whether or not any such district shall levy a tax for maintenance and bond purposes, the maximum of which for both of such purposes shall not exceed one dollar fifty cents on the one hundred dollars' valuation in any one year; provided that not more than one dollar of said tax shall be voted for bond purposes and not more than fifty cents shall be voted for maintenance purposes; providing that said tax shall be authorized, levied, assessed and collected under provisions of the law applicable to independent school district taxes; enacting provisions incident and relating to the subject and purpose of this Act; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 10, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 1079, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that the Commissioners' Courts in all counties having a population of not less than one hundred thousand (100,000) and not more than one hundred and ninety thousand (190,000) inhabitants, according to the last preceding Federal Census, shall compute and fix the maximum annual salary to be paid an officer named in Section 13, of Chapter 465 of the Acts of the Second Called Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature, where such officer's salary was based upon population under the laws existing on

August 24, 1935, on the basis of the population of said county, according to the last preceding Federal Census; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 10, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 1080, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that all counties within this State, having a population of not less than eighty thousand (80,000) inhabitants nor more than two hundred and twenty-five thousand (225,000) inhabitants, according to the last preceding Federal Census, and in which there is located no Court of Civil Appeals, may, upon an order being made by their Commissioners' Courts for this purpose, provide for and maintain a county law library; providing for the funds for said library; granting to said Courts all necessary power and authority to make this Act effective; providing that said Act shall be cumulative; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 10, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. J. R. No. 38, Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by amending Section 33 of Article 16 of the Constitution of Texas so as to permit the Accounting Officers of this State to draw and pay warrants for salaries to officers of the United States Army or Navy who are assigned to duties in State Institutions of higher education.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 10, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 224, Authorizing the State Highway Department of Texas to lend to the School Board of the Burton Independent School District sufficient quantities of the discarded wire in Washington County.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 10, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 225, Suspending Joint Rules to permit the consideration of Senate Bill No. 497 in the Senate on House Bill days, either June 11 or 12, or any House Bill day thereafter.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 11, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 227, Permitting the Joint Rules to be suspended so that the House may take up and consider House Bill No. 161, a bill affecting the terms of District Courts in the 30th, 90th, and 97th Judicial Districts, Wednesday or Thursday, June 11 or 12, 1941.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 11, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 223, Providing for recess of the Legislature on June 16, 1941, at one o'clock p. m., until July 14, 1941, at noon, and that it stand

adjourned sine die on July 21, 1941 at 12 noon.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 11, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 229, Recommending the appointment of Judge Joseph C. Hutcheson, Jr., to the United States Supreme Court.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS

Austin, Texas, June 11, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 291, "An Act relating to the salaries of all State officers except the salaries and other compensation of district judges and except those Constitutional State officers whose salaries are specifically fixed by the Constitution; specifically providing that the Legislature shall fix the amount of compensation to be paid clerks of the Courts of Civil Appeals, the Supreme Court, and the Court of Criminal Appeals out of fees of office; and specifically repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith; and declaring an emergency.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly enrolled.

HOWINGTON, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 11, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 233, "An Act appropriating the sum of One Million, One Hundred Eighty-six Thousand, Five Hundred Fifty-five Dollars and Fifty-eight Cents (\$1,186,555.58) per year or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the next biennium

beginning September 1, 1941, and ending August 31, 1943, from the General Revenue Fund for the purpose of promoting public school interests and assisting local districts in the teaching of vocational agriculture, home economics, trades and industries, vocational rehabilitation, and rehabilitation for crippled children according to the Federal laws governing vocational education, all of which shall be matched by Federal funds; providing for the administration, attaching conditions, regulations and limitations relative thereto; making various allocations of said appropriation; authorizing aid to schools in accordance with the conditions specified herein; providing all costs of administering funds named in this Act shall be paid out of moneys appropriated in this Act under the authority of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, who is the Executive Officer of the State Board for Vocational Education under the director of the State Board for Vocational Education; providing for acceptance and disbursement of all Federal moneys as may be made available to the State Board for Vocational Education in accordance with plans acceptable to the Federal agency in charge of such funds; defining the powers of the State Superintendent who is the Executive Officer; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly enrolled.

HOWINGTON, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 11, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 222, "An Act to amend Article 2978, Revised Civil Statutes, 1925, by adding thereto a new Ar-

ticle to be known as Article 2978a prescribing additional requirements for the official ballot in general elections; and providing that certain persons shall not be permitted to have their names on the official ballot; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly enrolled.

HOWINGTON, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 11, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 166, Granting Mrs. Woodie Spore permission to sue the State of Texas.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly enrolled.

HOWINGTON, Chairman.

Austin, Texas, June 11, 1941.

Hon. Homer L. Leonard, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 1058, "An Act amending House Bill No. 843 of the Regular Session of the Forty-seventh Legislature by adding a new section to be numbered Section 1a, and to provide exemption as to certain waters of Lake Corpus Christi; and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly enrolled.

HOWINGTON, Chairman.

SENT TO THE GOVERNOR

June 11, 1941

House Bill No. 1058.

House Bill No. 291.

House Bill No. 233.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 166.

In Memory of
Rev. James Jefferson Pipkin

Mrs. Colson offered the following resolution:

H. S. R. No. 334, In Memory of Reverend James Jefferson Pipkin.

Whereas, The House of Representatives has learned with sorrow of the death of the Reverend James Jefferson Pipkin, who passed away at his home in Bryan, Texas, on June 11, 1941; and

Whereas, He had lived upon this earth for more than four score years and had served the Baptist Church in Texas for the greater period of his life as one of its pioneer ministers; and

Whereas, Through his unselfish services as a minister of the Gospel he brought comfort to many and his life was a source of inspiration and an example to those with whom he came in contact; and

Whereas, It is the desire of the House of Representatives to express its sorrow upon the passing of the Reverend James Jefferson Pipkin; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That when the House adjourns today it do so in memory of the Reverend Pipkin and that this resolution shall be spread upon the pages of the Journal; and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be directed to forward a copy of this resolution, under the Seal of the House, to the bereaved family of the Reverend James Jefferson Pipkin.

MRS. COLSON,
McDONALD,
HARTZOG,
MONTGOMERY,
MORSE,
SMITH of Atascosa,
BELL,
CLARK,
McALISTER,
KINARD.

The resolution was read second time.

Signed—Leonard, Speaker; Allen, Allison, Alsup, Avant, Bailey, Baker, Bean, Benton, Blankenship, Boone, Brawner, Bray, Bridgers, Brown, Bruhl, Bullock, Bundy, Burkett, Burnaman, Carlton, Carrington, Cato, Celaya, Chambers, Cleveland, Coker, Connelly, Craig, Crossley, Crosthwait, Daniel, Davis, Deen, Dickson of Bexar, Dickson of Nolan, Donald, Dove, Duckett, Dwyer, Ellis, Eubank, Evans,

Favors, Ferguson, Miss Files, Fitzgerald, Fuchs, Gandy, Garland, Gilmer, Goodman, Halsey, Hanna, Hardeman, Hargis, Harris of Dallas, Harris of Hill, Heflin, Helpinstill, Henderson, Hileman, Hobbs, Howard, Howington, Hoyo, Huddleston, Huffman, Hughes, Humphrey, Hutchinson, Isaacks, Jones, Kelly, Kennedy, Kersey, King, Klingeman, Knight, Lansberry, Lehman, Leyendecker, Little, Lock, Love, Lowry, Lucas, Lyle, McCann, McGlasson, McLellan, McMurry, McNamara, Manford, Manning, Markle, Martin, Matthews, Mills, Moore, Morgan, Morris, Murray, Nicholson, Pace, Parker, Pevehouse, Phillips, Price, Rampy, Reed of Bowie, Reed of Dallas, Rhodes, Ridgeway, Roark, Roberts, Sallas, Senterfitt, Sharpe, Shell, Simpson, Skiles, Smith of Bastrop, Spacek, Spangler, Stanford, Stinson, Stubbs, Taylor, Thornton, Turner, Vale, Voigt, Walters, Wattner, Weatherford, White, Whitesides and Winfree.

On the motion of Mr. Lock, the names of all the Members of the House were added to the resolution as signers thereof.

The resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

In Memory of
Hon. Harry L. Howard

Mr. Ridgeway offered the following resolution:

H. S. R. No. 335, In Memory of Honorable Harry L. Howard.

Whereas, On Thursday, June 5, 1941, the Honorable Harry L. Howard of San Antonio, Texas, was called to rest from his earthly labors; and

Whereas, The Honorable Harry L. Howard acted as a Special Judge of the Thirty-seventh District Court of Bexar County, Texas, from 1932 until 1935 and was appointed by Governor James V. Allred as Judge of the Thirty-seventh District Court in April, 1935, and was elected to that office in 1936 and was re-elected in 1940; and

Whereas, The death of this distinguished attorney and jurist has been a source of profound sorrow to his host of friends and admirers in various parts of the State in which he had served so nobly and well; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the House of Representatives of the Forty-seventh Legislature, That we extend to his widow and to the members of his family our deepest sympathy on the loss of their distinguished husband and father and that the Chief Clerk of the House be directed to furnish the widow of the deceased a copy of this resolution under the Seal of the House and that when the House adjourns today that it do so in memory of this distinguished Texan.

RIDGEWAY,
HOYO,
DWYER,
DICKSON of Bexar.

The resolution was read second time.

Signed—Leonard, Speaker; Allen, Allison, Alsup, Avant, Bailey, Baker, Bean, Bell, Benton, Blankenship, Boone, Brawner, Bray, Bridgers, Brown, Bruhl, Bullock, Bundy, Burkett, Burnaman, Carlton, Carrington, Cato, Celaya, Chambers, Clark, Cleveland, Coker, Mrs. Colson, Connelly, Craig, Crossley, Crosthwait, Daniel, Davis, Deen, Dickson of Nolan, Donald, Dove, Duckett, Ellis, Eubank, Evans, Favors, Ferguson, Miss Files, Fitzgerald, Fuchs, Gandy, Garland, Gilmer, Goodman, Halsey, Hanna, Hardeman, Hargis, Harris of Dallas, Harris of Hill, Hartzog, Heflin, Helpinstill, Henderson, Hileman, Hobbs, Howard, Howington, Huddleston, Huffman, Hughes, Humphery, Hutchinson, Isaacks, Jones, Kelly, Kennedy, Kersey, Kinard, King, Klingeman, Knight, Lansberry, Lehman, Leyendecker, Little, Lock, Love, Lowry, Lucas, Lyle, McAlister, McCann, McDonald, McGlasson, McLellan, McMurry, McNamara, Manford, Manning, Markle, Martin, Matthews, Mills, Montgomery, Moore, Morgan, Morris, Morse, Murray, Nicholson, Pace, Parker, Pevehouse, Phillips, Price, Rampy, Reed of Bowie, Reed of Dallas, Rhodes, Roark, Roberts, Sallas, Senterfitt, Sharpe, Shell, Simpson, Skiles, Smith of Bastrop, Smith of Atascosa, Spacek, Spangler, Stanford, Stinson, Stubbs, Taylor, Thornton, Turner, Vale, Voigt, Walters, Wattner, Weatherford, White, Whitesides and Winfree.

On the motion of Mr. Ridgeway, the names of all the Members of the House were added to the resolution as signers thereof.

The resolution was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.